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**REQUEST FOR
CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)
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Application Number: 09/488,563

Confirmation Number: 4607

Filing Date: January 21, 2000

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First Named Inventor: Stuart Kent CARD et al.

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Group Art Unit: 2178

Examiner: William D. Hutton, Jr.

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Attorney Docket Number: 07447.0026-00000

Attorney Customer Number: 22,852

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application.

Request for Continued Examination (RCE) practice under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 does not apply to any utility or plant application filed prior to June 8, 1995, or to any design application.

1. Submission required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114: Note: If the RCE is proper, any previously filed unentered amendments and amendments enclosed with the RCE will be entered in the order in which they were filed unless applicant instructs otherwise. If applicant does not wish to have any previously filed unentered amendment(s) entered, application must request non-entry of such amendment.

- a. ☐ Previously submitted. If a final Office action is outstanding, any amendments filed after the final Office action may be considered as a submission even if this box is not checked.
- i. ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief of Reply Brief previously filed on [Date] _____.
- ii. ☐ Other _____
- b. ☒ Enclosed:
- i. ☒ Amendment/Reply
- ii. ☐ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)
- iii. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement
- iv. ☐ Other _____

2. Fees

- a. ☒ The filing fee is calculated to be \$978.00 as follows:
- i. ☒ \$770.00 RCE fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e)
- ii. ☐ Petition for extension of time
- iii. ☒ Other \$208.00 fees for additional claims, as calculated below
- b. ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the amount of \$978.00 to cover the cost of the RCE filing fee under 37 CFR 1.16, 1.17, and 1.21 (but not 1.18) to **Xerox Corporation**, Account No. 24-0037. *An additional copy of this form is enclosed.*
- c. ☒ This is an authorization under 37 CFR 1.136(a)(3) to treat any concurrent or future reply, requiring a petition for extension of time, as incorporating a petition for the appropriate extension of time.

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3. ☒ The filing fee is calculated below:

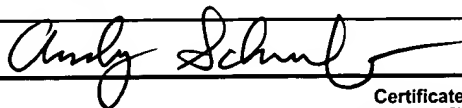
CLAIMS AS FILED, LESS ANY CLAIMS CANCELED BY ABOVE-INDICATED AMENDMENT(S)				
(1) FOR	(2) NUMBER FILED	(3) NUMBER EXTRA	(4) RATE	(5) CALCULATIONS
TOTAL CLAIMS (37 CFR 1.16(c))	26 - 24 =	2	x \$ 18	= \$36.00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS (37 CFR 1.16(b))	5 - 3 =	2	x \$ 86	= \$172.00
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS (IF APPLICABLE) (37 CFR 1.16(d))		ANY - - 0	\$ 290	= \$ 0.00
BASIC FEE (37 CFR 1.16(a))				\$770.00
TOTAL				= \$ 978.00

Signature of Applicant, Attorney, or Agent Required

Name: Andrew B. Schwaab

Reg. No.: 38,611

Signature:



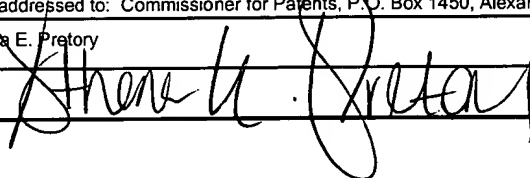
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